

# THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH OF SAINT MARY

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OFFICE HOURS Monday thru Friday 8:00 am – 4:00 pm

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**Sacrament of Baptism** – For Children to be Baptized, please call the Rectory to schedule a meeting.

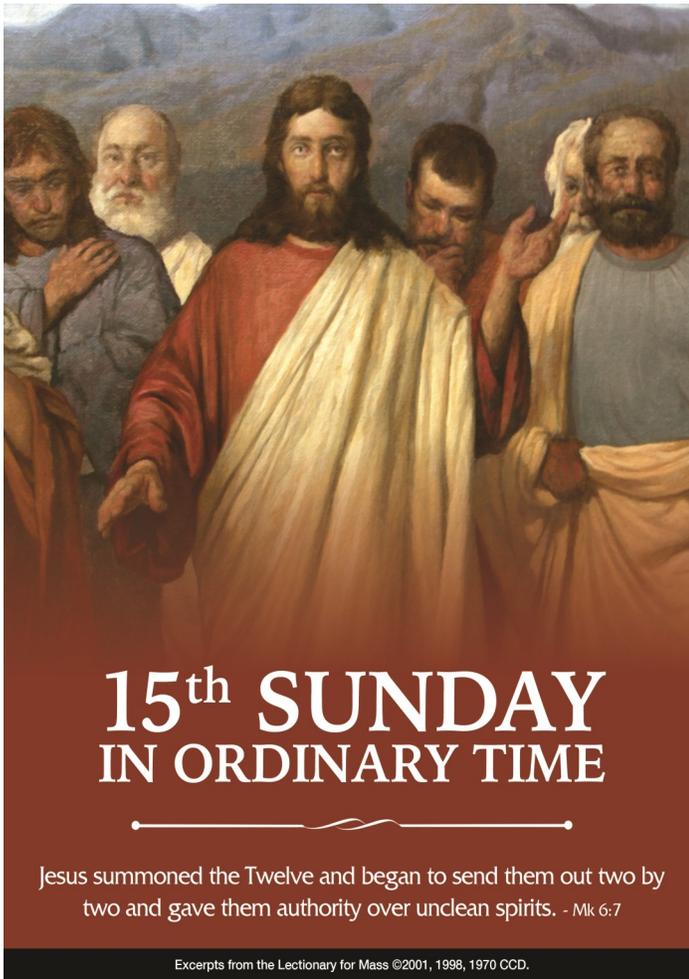
**Sacrament of Penance** – Confessions :Tuesdays 5:45pm—6:15pm, Saturdays 3:45pm—4:45pm , or by appointment.

**Marriage** –Make arrangements with the Pastor at least six months in advance. Pre-Cana instruction is necessary.

**Anointing of the Sick** – Please advise the parish office of the serious illness or hospitalization of a parishioner.

**Communion for shut-ins** – Please notify the Rectory if anyone is unable to attend Sunday Mass regularly.

**New Parishioners** – Register at the Rectory during normal office hours.



## 15<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two and gave them authority over unclean spirits. - Mk 6:7

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 OCD.

### *Our Vision and Mission*

We the members of  
St. Mary's Catholic Church,  
in order to become the saints  
God calls us to be:

- ◇ Welcome the wanderer to the Way
- ◇ Educate the seeker with the Truth
- ◇ Worship the beauty of Christ's Life

#### PARISH STAFF:

Rev. Bryan D. Stitt, Pastor

Mr. James M. Snell, Deacon (315) 262-0491

Mr. Paul J. Schrems, Pastoral Associate for Administration

Miss Sarah McIntosh, Administrative Assistant

Mrs. Amanda J. Conklin, Director of the New Evangelization

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FIFTEENTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME  
JULY 11, 2021

### Pastor's Corner



All Catholics know that we pray for the dead—that our loved ones who have passed may be purified of any attachment to sin and enter heaven—but did you know that you could offer Masses for other needs?

I was listening to a talk this week, and the speaker encouraged priests to let their people know. It's a darn good point. I don't know the last time I mentioned it to someone. Would you like special prayers for your Family and Friends? **There's a Mass for that!** What about for the spread of the faith? There's a Mass for that! For good weather, rain, chastity, charity, or the all-important grace of a happy death? Don't worry, there's a Mass for that! Call the office for more details.

As I mentioned last week, these are days of reunions. I was blessed to have a great 4th of July with scores of my family in Ticonderoga—many of whom I hadn't seen in over 2 years. Another reunion will be coming up for you. I'm happy to let you know that **Fr. Timothy Canaan** will be with you in a few weeks. If you don't know him, he was the pastor here in Canton from 2003 to 2008. He has had some serious health challenges that required an early retirement, but the doctors say that he can do some light weekend coverage. He'll be here when I'm away baptizing my nephew the first weekend of August.

In the meantime, I hope you all have a blessed week. -

*Fr. Bryan Stitt*

### What happened on Facebook?



To help transition the Church back to in-person worship whenever possible, we stopped posting Mass on our website. Following the guidance of the Vatican's Congregation for Divine Worship, we are encouraged to live-stream liturgies, but not to record them and post for later viewing. We continue to show the 9:00 AM Mass on Sunday live, but as of July, we are no longer posting the recordings online to be watched later. This gives the viewer an opportunity to reflect on heaven coming to earth at a specific time and place. On a similar note, Morning Prayer is being prayed in person in the chapel after our morning Masses and no longer being posted on Facebook.



**Just a reminder...**besides the Masses being shown live at 9:00 AM on Facebook live and broadcast at FM 93.5, you can listen to the homilies on Apple Podcasts or on our website. Go to:

**cantontholics.com -> Liturgy -> Homilies/Talks**

### Tree Removal

One of the older trees on the church property will be removed shortly; if anyone is interested in having the logs to use for firewood, please call the parish office: (315) 386-2543. A donation would be accepted.



### Welcome, Sarah McIntosh

Joining the parish Staff this week is Sarah McIntosh. While she was raised in Watertown, she's no stranger to us here in Canton as she was a student at Crane. She will be assisting in the parish offices, answering the phones, working on the bulletin, doing data entry, and being a joyful and faithful person in the office. It's great to have you here, Sarah!



Fun fact, this bulletin went to print after Peter's departure and before Sarah's arrival. Have fun looking for all the errors that Father and Paul let slip through without the.

### Guggenheim Fun Days



Although there will not be the usual Guggenheim Summer Camp this year, there will be **three, one-day events** in July of 2021. Whether you're a seasoned camper or someone who has never heard of Camp Guggenheim before, a Summer Fun Day is for you!

**Youth aged 12-15 — July 29 or July 30**  
**Youth aged 16-18 — July 31**

Swimming, a Super Scavenger Hunt, Beach Luau, youth-focused Liturgy, and more! Snacks and drinks provided, please bring your own bag lunch. You will also need to bring a bathing suit, towel, sunscreen, and bug spray.

**Fee to attend is: \$15.00 per day event.**

**COVID-19 vaccination required to attend.**

You must be vaccinated for the COVID-19 virus to attend and participate in a Guggenheim Summer Fun Day.

**TO REGISTER:** [www.rcdony.org/summer-fun-days-guggenheim](http://www.rcdony.org/summer-fun-days-guggenheim)

If you have any registration or requirement questions, please contact, Jeannie Grizzuto, Youth Office Administrator at: [jgrizzuto@rcdony.org](mailto:jgrizzuto@rcdony.org) or 315-393-2920 ext. 1413

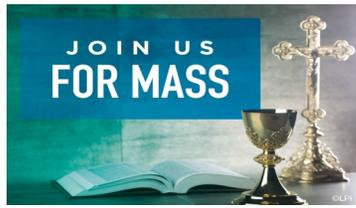
### Do you have difficulty hearing in church?

There are **personal amplifiers** available for use, which are connected to the church sound system. They can be found:

- in the drawers of the tables behind the last row of pews
- on the shelf with the holy oils by the baptismal font
- in the Sacristy (please ask a member of the staff for one)

The earpiece (*left*) is for your personal use, to take home and bring back to church with you. If you already have a hearing aid, there is an adapter (*right*) that can be used for that. Please return the control packs and adapters to their places after use.





**Mass Attendance**

July 3-4

5:00 PM Saturday	69
9:00 AM Sunday	90
10:45 AM Sunday	39



**Congratulations to the Barrys**

Jim and Dana Barry were married 50 years ago this past Saturday. After the 5:00 PM Mass we gathered with some of their family for a special blessing. Congratulations to the

**Missing Statues**

Tom Fayette is still missing 3 statues from his property at 323 Pollock Road, Canton. The statues of St. Padre Pio, St. Faustina, and St. Rita of Cascia all have great significance to Tom and his retreat house. He is willing to give \$300 reward for their return—no questions asked. Please contact the parish office.

**Knights of Columbus 73rd Annual Pilgrimage**

On Sunday, July 18th, Knights of Columbus from throughout the Diocese of Ogdensburg will participate in their 73rd annual pilgrimage to St. Anne’s Shrine in Isle LaMotte, Vermont.



Bishop LaValley will celebrate mass at 12:15 p.m. Knights and their families can enjoy lunch in the shrine cafeteria or they can bring a lunch to enjoy on the shrine’s beautiful grounds.

St. Anne’s Shrine is located on the shores of Lake Champlain, only a few miles from the Rouses Point Bridge. The Shrine’s religious history began in 1666 when the French erected a fort and chapel. The chapel was blessed in 1893, and a beautiful statue of St. Anne, the mother of Mary, was erected.

For more information, please call Pilgrimage Coordinator Peter Keenan at 518-643-9241.

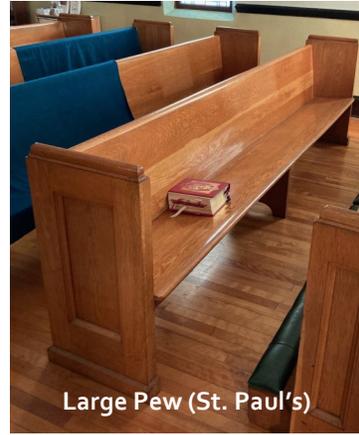
**For Sale—Pews from St. Paul’s & St. Rene’s**

Pews from the former St. Paul's Oratory in Pyrites and from the former St. Rene's Church in Russell are being offered for sale.

**Large pews** (St. Paul’s) are 126" long; suggested donation: \$100

**Short pews** (St. Rene’s) are 60" long; suggested donation: \$200

Call (315) 386-2543 for information.



Large Pew (St. Paul’s)



Short Pew (St. Rene’s)

**COVID GUIDELINES REMINDER**

- All are welcome to wear masks.
- Those who are fully vaccinated do not need to wear masks at all.
- Those who are not fully vaccinated are asked to maintain social distancing and keep their masks on, especially any time when they are walking about or projecting their voices (as when singing).
- Holy Communion will be distributed beginning with the pews along the sides of the church; the people in those pews should proceed by the side aisles to the back of church and come up the center aisle in a single file line, maintaining six feet of separation between themselves and those of other households. Once those on the sides have received, those in the pews on either side of the center aisle may come forward to receive, again forming a single file line.



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**Missionary Discipleship with Julianne Stanz**

In this four-hour class designed for all Catholics, Julianne Stanz provides rich examples, stories and ideas to help us deepen our faith in our walk in Christ...and to go on mission, even in our neighborhoods and communities.





### Ministry Schedule

#### July 10 and July 11, 2021

<b>Sat. 5:00 pm</b>	Lector	Brenda Sanderson
	Greeters	Bill and Carol O'Horo
	Altar Servers	Christian Guarino
<b>Sun. 9:00 am</b>	Lector	Paul Schrems
	Greeters	Shelly and Zadok Roiger
	Altar Servers	Gavin Thompson

#### July 17 and July 18, 2021

<b>Sat. 5:00 pm</b>	Lector	TBD
	Greeters	TBD
	Altar Servers	TBD
<b>Sun. 9:00 am</b>	Lector	TBD
	Greeters	TBD
	Altar Servers	TBD



## PRAYER REQUESTS

*Dear God, we place our worries in your hands. We place our sick under your care and humbly ask that you restore your servants to health again. Above all, grant us the grace to acknowledge your will and know that whatever you do, you do for the love of us.*

Katie Coakley Ba	Joe Guarino	Nolan Joe Redmond
Milton Bessette	Helen Hilts	Lawrence Regan
Sam Bisonette	Arleen Jordan	Brent Robert
Barbara Brenhoch	Shirley Lamendola	Judy Ruddy
Camille Brown	Carlos Law	Renee Smith
Peggy Cashman	Lori Law	Natalie teRiele
J.J. Crooks	Leward Lucia	Rose White
Phyllis Cunningham	Laurence McKenna	Abuse Victims
David Datush	Rick Meilleur	& their Families
Debbie Gainey	Doni Peters	Covid 19 Victims

## Parish Support

<u>Week of July 4</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>
Envelopes	\$5,019.00	\$5,461.00
On-Line Giving	\$490.00	\$651.00
Plate	\$112.00	\$333.77
Feast of the Assumption	\$45.00	0
Children's Envelopes	\$0.90	0
Mission Co-op	\$50.00	0
Catholic Communications Campaign		\$50.00
Catholic Home Missions		\$16.00
<u>Spring Fuel Collection</u>	<u>\$65.00</u>	<u>0</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$5,781.90</b>	<b>\$6,511.77</b>

(Recent Candle Donations—\$ 23.50)

**Thank you for your support & generosity each week!**

## **MASS & PARISH SCHEDULE**

**Saturday, July 10:**      **Weekday**  
 3:45-4:45 pm      Confession  
                                  *Vigil, 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
 5:00 pm Mass      Helen Fish by Nancy Layhee

**Sunday, July 11:**      **15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 9:00 am Mass      Warren Bessette by Mike and Jorja  
                                  Christy  
 10:45 am Mass      For All the People of the Parish

**Monday, July 12:**      **Weekday**  
 7:30 am Mass      Mick Harrington by Harry and Peggy  
                                  Podgurski  
 After Mass      Liturgy of the Hours Morning Prayer

**Tuesday, July 13:**      **Weekday/Saint Henry**  
 8:00 am      Liturgy of the Hours Morning Prayer  
 4:10-5:10 pm      Holy Hour for Vocations with Eucharistic  
                                  Adoration  
 5:15 pm Mass      Deceased Members of the White Family  
                                  by Sharon and Jim White  
 5:45-6:15 pm      Confession

**Wednesday, July 14:**      **Memorial of Saint Kateri Tekakwitha,  
 Virgin**  
 7:30 am Mass      John Thompson by Truus and Family  
 After Mass      Liturgy of the Hours Morning Prayer

**Thursday, July 15:**      **Memorial of Saint Bonaventure,  
 Bishop and Doctor of the Church**  
 8:00 am      Liturgy of the Hours Morning Prayer  
 5:15 pm Mass      Maureen Howard by Dan and Margaret  
                                  Sweeney

**Friday, July 16:**      **Weekday/Our Lady of Mount Carmel**  
 7:30 am Mass      Joan Pope by Gail Bisonette  
 After Mass      Liturgy of the Hours Morning Prayer

**Saturday, July 17:**      **Weekday**  
 3:45-4:45 pm      Confession  
                                  *Vigil, 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
 5:00 pm Mass      Rita Mayhew by Joan Popet

**Sunday, July 18:**      **16th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 9:00 am Mass      Joan Majer by Judy Ruddy  
 10:45 am Mass      For All the People of the Parish



*The Church Sanctuary Lamp burns this week to the*

### **Greater Glory of God and for Safe Travels**

*If you desire to have the Vigil Lamp lit for a loved one or for your intention, please contact the Rectory.*

#### **Readings for July 11**

Am 7: 12-15  
 Ps 85: 9-14  
 Eph 1: 3-14  
 Mark 6: 7-13



#### **Readings for July 18**

Jer 23: 1-6  
 Ps 23: 1-6  
 Eph 2: 13-18  
 Mark 6: 30-34